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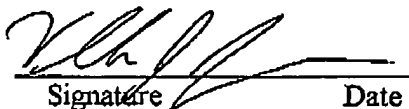
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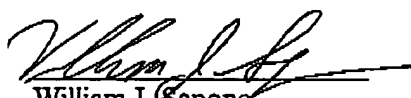
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response the Office Action dated September 22, 2004, the applicants hereby elect Group II, claims 14-27, and hereby withdraws from consideration claims 1-13. Relative to the species election as to claim 27, the applicant elects vitamins as a species of additive for the initial examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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